6. Close the laptop screen.

Step 5: Replace the Screws

1. Turn the laptop over so the back is facing you.
2. Insert screws into positions shown in Fig. 2-a.
3. Hold the plastic handle of the screw driver with your dominant hand.
4. Fit the metal tip of the screw driver into the head of the screw as in Fig. 2-a.
5. Push into the screw while turning in a clockwise direction.
6. Continue previous step until screw is firmly in place.
7. Repeat steps 4-6 for all labeled screws in Fig. 2-b.

Step 6: Make the Computer Operational

1. Replace the battery into the back of the laptop as shown in Fig. 1.
2. Plug in the power cord into the side of the computer as shown in Fig. 8.

Fig. 8: Connecting the power cord

3. Turn the laptop over so the front is facing you.
4. Lift up the laptop screen.
5. Press the power button to make sure the new keyboard works.

Warning:

- Never work on a machine connected to a power source!
- Never force parts into place!
- Never work around water!
- Be patient with parts!

How to Replace the Keyboard on Your HP/Compaq Presario CQ60 Laptop Computer

Objective

If you own a laptop computer, you may find the need to replace your worn keyboard. This brochure is a step-by-step guide on how to replace the keyboard on your HP/Compaq CQ60 laptop computer. Before continuing with this brochure, you need to read and understand the safety precautions located on the back cover.

Materials

Before beginning, collect the following:

- 1 Phillips-head screwdriver
- Clean, flat work area
- 1 Replacement keyboard
- 1 HP/Compaq Cq60 laptop computer

Step 1: Make the Computer Safe

1. Lay laptop on a clear, flat surface.
2. Unplug the power cord from the side of the laptop.
3. Turn the laptop over so the back is facing you.
4. Remove the battery from the back of the laptop as shown in Fig. 1.

Fig. 1: Removing the battery

Step 2: Take Out the Screws

1. Hold the plastic handle of the screw driver with your dominant hand.
2. Fit the metal tip of the screw driver into the head of the screw as in Fig. 2-a.

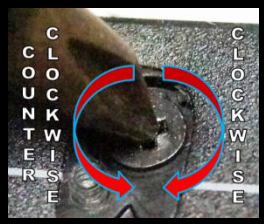

Fig. 2-a: Turning

3. Push into the screw while turning in a counter-clockwise direction as in Fig. 2-a.
4. Continue previous step until screw is removed.
5. Repeat steps 1-4 for all labeled screws in Fig. 2-b.

Fig. 2-b: Location of screws

Step 3: Remove the Face-Plate

1. Turn the laptop over so the front is facing you.
2. Lift up the laptop screen.
3. Carefully slide the face-plate away from you until you feel it release as shown in Fig. 3.

Fig. 3: Removing the faceplate

4. Lift up the face-plate and keyboard.
5. Carefully disconnect the two ribbon cables connecting the face-plate and keyboard to the laptop as shown in Fig. 4.

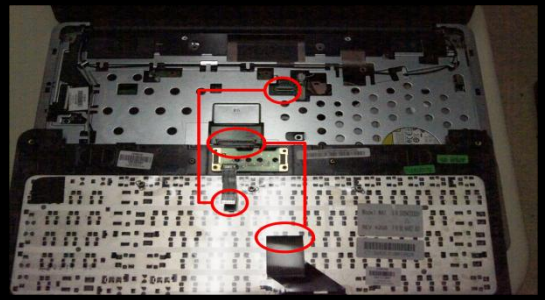

Fig. 4: Location of ribbon cables

6. Remove the face-plate.
7. Remove the keyboard.

Step 4: Reattach the Face-Plate

1. Remove the old keyboard from the face-plate.
2. Insert the new keyboard into the grooves on the back of the face-plate as shown in Fig. 5.

Fig. 5: Keyboard grooves

3. Reattach the two ribbon cables into their appropriate locations (refer to Fig. 4).
4. Replace the face-plate rivets into the grooves on the laptop as shown in Fig. 6.

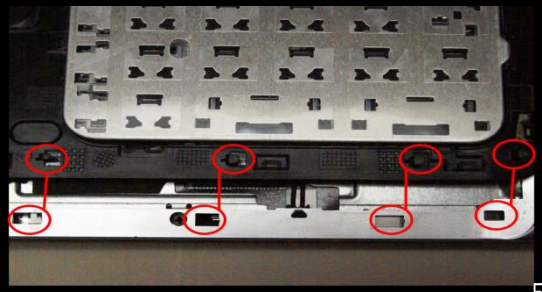

Fig. 6: Face-plate rivets

5. Push the face-plate into the laptop while sliding the face-plate towards you until bottom is flush as shown in Fig. 7.

Fig. 7: Inserting the face-plate